## **AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS:**

## 1.-12. (canceled)

- 13. (currently amended) [[An]] Wrinkle-free object, curved in one [[of]] or more directions, comprising at least one ply containing polymeric fibres, which object exhibits in different locations a different mean fibre diameter which is a diameter common to a majority of fibres, with a difference between greatest and smallest mean values of the different mean fibre diameters is at least 7%, wherein the object is made by a process comprising deforming at elevated temperature a package of the at least one stacked ply containing polymeric fibres, wherein the step of deforming includes imposing a tensile stress on the fibres at a temperature lying between the melting point of the fibres at the imposed tensile stress and 20°C below the melting point, which tensile stress is high enough for the fibres to be drawn.
- 14. (canceled)
- 15. (canceled)
- 16. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the difference between the greatest and the smallest mean value of the mean fibre diameter is at least 10%.
- 17. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the polymeric fibres are chosen from the group consisting of polyolefin fibers, polyvinyl alcohol fibers, polyamide fibers and polyester fibers.
- 18. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the fibres have a tensile strength of at least 2 GPa and a tensile modulus of at least 50 GPa as measured according to ASTM D885M.

- 19. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] <u>13</u>, wherein the fibres are ultrahigh molecular weight polyethylene fibres.
- 20. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the plies are unidirectional plies containing continuous fibres which are unidirectionally aligned.
- 21. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the plies are unidirectional plies and the fibre direction in each ply is preferably at an angle with the fibre direction in adjacent plies.
- 22. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] <u>13</u>, wherein the ply consists of polymeric fibres and up to 50% by mass of a binder.
- 23. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the ply is thinner than 0.1 mm.
- 24. (currently amended) The object of claim [[15]] 13, wherein the object is chosen from chose form-the group consisting of radomes, helmets, ballistic protection panels for shoulders and armour panels for automobiles or for military helicopters.